

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application Of: Lucas, et al.

Group No.:

Serial No.: 10/592,960

Docket No. 820120-1020

Filed: 09/13/2006

Confirmation No.: 3776

For: **Injection Syringe**

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C.
371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated December 4, 2006, please find enclosed:

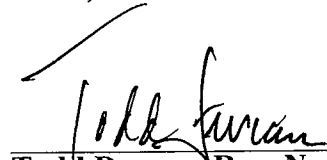
1. Declaration and
2. Government fee in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the surcharge fee for late filing of the Declaration.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 20-0778 for any deficiencies or credit any over payments.

Respectfully Submitted,

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